

55.(New) The method according to claim 30, wherein said extrinsic damage is caused by heating, UV radiation, or chemical treatment.

56.(New) The method according to claim 30, wherein said composition protects a keratinous fiber from extrinsic damage and repairs a keratinous fiber following extrinsic damage.

REMARKS

New claims 30-56 have been added. Applicants submit that these claims are fully supported by the application as filed. See Page 12, second paragraph (e.g., "When hair was treated with C3 to C5 monosaccharide solutions prior to heat application..."), and Examples 2 - 9. Applicants have also amended the specification on pages 9, 10, 11, 13, and 32 to correct inadvertent and minor typographical errors. Accordingly, no issue of new matter has been created.

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